House File 257

AN ACT

RELATING TO THIRD-PARTY TESTERS WHO ADMINISTER THE KNOWLEDGE AND DRIVING SKILLS TESTS REQUIRED FOR A COMMERCIAL LEARNER'S PERMIT OR COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 321.187, subsection 2, paragraph c, Code 2023, is amended to read as follows:

- c. Any third-party test examiner used by the third-party tester shall meet comply with the requirements of 49 C.F.R. pts. 383 and 384 applicable to third-party knowledge and driving skills testing, as adopted by rule by the department. The department shall adopt rules regarding who may qualify as a third-party tester. The department may adopt rules may also provide that doing any of the following:
- (1) Requiring a third-party tester to conduct a number of skills test examinations above the number required under 49 C.F.R. §383.75 in order to remain qualified as a third-party tester under this section. A third-party tester, other than a community college established under chapter 260C, must be one of the following:
- (1) An Iowa-based motor carrier, or its subsidiary, that has its principal office within this state and operates a permanent commercial driver training facility in this state.
- (2) An Iowa nonprofit corporation that serves as a trade association for Iowa-based motor carriers.

(3) A public transit system or regional transit system, as those terms are defined in section 324A.1, in this state.	
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Speaker of the House	President of the Senate
I hereby certify that this	s bill originated in the House and
is known as House File 257, N	Ninetieth General Assembly.
	MEGHAN NELSON
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Approved , 202	23

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Governor